

3-6-77 Thu.

Dear Vickie and Jimmy,

I just noticed I have gained four pounds so I walked over to Bensons late this afternoon and dad came over and picked me up and fed the dog. Bensons will be back next Friday. When Diane was with me I felt I got plenty of exercise but now we are having so much rain I can't work in the yard. When I was walking to Bensons it was raining but not hard and it felt good.

Yesterday we received a 200 dollar check from our renters for March and April so I guess they are going to be alright.

Sandi and Dick and the three children spent the week-end up at Crystal at Gails Couds. (I don't know how to spell the whole word) Anyway the Couds is right above the restaurant, high up the hill with almost two hundred steps, steps over, to climb with all their food, sleeping bags, skis etc. She thought they would never make it. After skiing the first day they

left their skis outside and Reekys 200 dollar skis and 50 dollar bindings were stolen. He had just gotten them for Christmas.

We think it will be wonderful if you can keep your place and rent it. We can loan you money if you want it and Dad said we will talk about that when we see you which will be soon. I hope we can drive but it certainly is a long motor trip but it would be fun. I love staying in motels and eating out, but I must lose some pounds or otherwise I might get big and fat.

It is just pouring out now so I was lucky on my walk. The news told about the wind storm there and cooler weather. Our grass is very long but we wait now it until it dries out. I look around my house and I love it, but I still would like to have a deluxe apt. there for awhile. More later.

Love,
Mom
Hr